

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	Confirmation No. 9147
NEMIROVSKY <i>et al.</i>	Art Unit: 2182
Appl. No. 09/602,279	Examiner: Peyton, Tammara R.
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For: Background Memory Manager That Determines If Data Structures Fit in Memory With Memory State Transactions Map	

**Submission Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and
Preliminary Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.115**

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Madam:

In connection with the attached Request for Continued Examination, Applicant submits the following Preliminary Amendment and Remarks.

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

Prior to further examination of the application, please amend the application as directed herein.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.